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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§ 1.97-1.98, the references listed and identified on the attached Form PTO/SB08A are being submitted for consideration by the Examiner. This statement is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b).

Each of the references identified in the attached Form PTO/SB08A has a filing date after the filing date of the patent on which the present reissue application is based. The identified references include claims that are directed to subject matter that is similar to the subject matter of the claims of the present application. However, the undersigned attorney does not believe that any claim of the present application "is the same as, or for the same or substantially the same subject matter as, a claim" of any of the identified references under 35 U.S.C. § 135.

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No copies of the listed U.S. patent references or the listed U.S. patent application publication references have been included herewith pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2). Consideration and entry into the record of the listed references is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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